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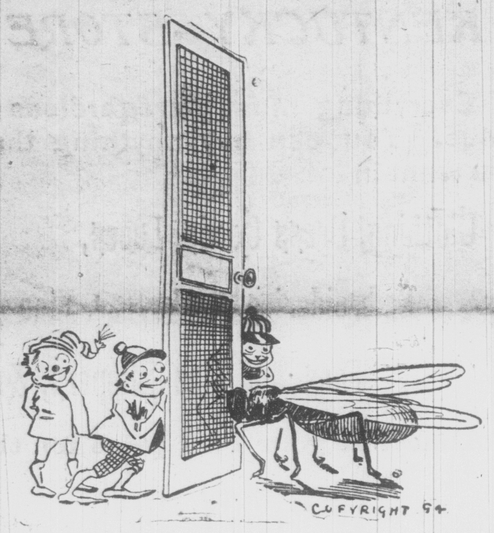

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THE COREAN WAR.

ACTIVE PREPARATIONS ARE BEING MADE FOR BATTLE.

An Imperial Edict Has Been Issued Ordering Them to Report Forthwith. The King of Corea Taken a Prisoner by Japenese Troops.

YOKOHAMA, July 30.—An imperial edict has been issued calling out the army and navy reserve and ordering them to report forthwith at their respective headquarters. The Chinese residents of Japan are greatly alarmed at the threatening outlook, and are fleeing from the country in large numbers.

At Tokio the conviction is growing in official circles that the Chinese negotiations are simply a pretext to gain time in order to allow China to concentrate her forces for the purpose of making a combined attack on the Japanese. Reliable information has been received at Tokio that the main body of the Chinese army crossed the northwestern frontier of Corea on July 25.

Further firing on Japanese ships on the Corean coast is reported.

King of Corea a Prisoner.

LONDON, July 30.—The Chinese legation received confirmation of the capture of the king of Corea by the Japanese.

The Chinese minister informed the Associated Press representative Saturday

KING OF COREA.

that there has been no formal declaration of war between China and Japan in spite of collisions which have occurred and pourparlers tending towards peaceful settlement of disputes between the two countries still continue.

Details of the Engagement.

SHANGHAI, July 30.—Further details of the naval engagement have reached this city. The fighting, though of short duration, was very severe. One of the Japanese warships got within a comparatively short distance of the transport Kow Shung and discharged a torpedo at her. The missile was well directed and struck the transport fairly. A terriffic explosion followed and the Kow Shung began at once to fill. Every foreigner on board the transport, which had been chartered by the Chinese government from an English company, was either killed in the fight or went down with the vessel when she foundered.

The loss of life was very great. Of nearly 2000 Chinese troops on board of her only 40 were saved. They were picked up by the French gunboat Lion, which was cruising in the vicinity.

The Tsao Kian, which was captured by the Japanese, was an old man-of-war that had been impressed into service. Many were killed on board of her before she fell into the hands of the Japanese.

Another Chinese Boat Sunk.

SHANGHAI, July 30.—Confirmation has been received here of the news cabled to the Associated Press yesterday regarding the beginning of hostilities between China and Japan. In addition to the steamer Kow Sung, which was sunk by a Japanese cruiser as it was being used to transport Chinse troops and all on board being drowned, the schooner Tooman also being used as a transport, has been sunk by a Japanese war ship.

Looking to a Settlement.

ROME, July 30.—The following dispatch has been received from Tokio: "The Italian minister acting in concert with the British minister has presented to the Japanese ministry of foreign affairs the proposals made by Chinese looking to a settlement of affairs in Corea. These proposals will be considered by the Japanese government which has reserved its reply."

No Rice Exportations.

LONDON, July 30.—Advices have reached here indicating that the Japanese attacked the Chinese troops who landed at Azan from the transports that escaped from the Japanese warships.

It is added that China has prohibited the exportation of rice or grain. Torpedoes have been lain in the north channel and the entrance of the Yang-Tse-Kiang river. The Chinese government is buying war material.

Harrison Duncan Hanged.

CLAYTON, Mo., July 28.—Harrison Duncan was hanged at 6:30 yesterday morning for the murder of Policeman James Brady in October, 1890. The murder occurred in St. Louis and the case came here on change of venue.

Madeline Pollard Sees Pike's Peak.

MANITOU, Colo., July 28.—Among the tourists to the summit of Pike's peak yesterday was Miss Madeline Pollard of Congressman W. C. P. Breckinridge fame.

WORSE THAN REPORTED.

Crops In Nebraska and Kansas Totally Destroyed by Hot Winds.

DENVER, July 30.—Passengers arriving on trains from the east report wide destruction through Kansas and Nebraska to all kinds of crops on account of the hot winds. Superintendent Campbell of the Burlington road says figures cannot express the damage. Two weeks ago it was estimated by experts that Nebraska had 400,000,000 bushels of corn. Now it will be necessary to ship corn into many counties in Nebraska in order for farmers to live until another season.

Hundreds of square miles of the finest looking corn hang dry and lifeless over an extent of territory as large as the state of Pennsylvania or New York.

Reports from the lines of the Union Pacific, Burlington, Rock Island, Missouri Pacific and Santa Fe are all of the same tenor.

The only hope farmers have is that bounteous rains may start another graft before it is too late in the season.

Travelers report the highways leading eastward through Nebraska and Kansas are already thronged with disheartened settlers who have abandoned their homes and are hurrying toward Iowa and Missouri for relief from almost unbearable heat. A similar scene has not been witnessed since 1873, when hot winds almost depopulated western Kansas. The year following came the grasshopper plague, from which it required Kansas 10 years to recover.

The railroad men look on the advent of hot winds in Kansas and Nebraska this year as vastly more damaging to railroad interests than the recent strike. Cattlemen will have a serious time finding fattening ground for their stock. A new source of supply must be found.

There is great danger of fires along the tracks and roads will be required to take extra precautions to prevent extensive prairie fires as the dry grass will be a constant source of danger for months to come.

Rain Brings Relief.

DULUTH, July 30.—Five hours heavy rain fell Friday night which effectually checked the forest fires in the vicinity of Duluth and relieved the heated atmosphere. Proctor Knott, a village on the Mesaba and Northern road, which was threatened with destruction is out of danger.

Long Drouth Broken.

ROCKFORD, Ills., July 30.—A heavy rain Saturday broke the long drouth in this section.

Trouble With Convicts Over.

NASHVILLE, July 30.—The trouble with the mutinous convicts at Tracy City was ended by the convicts surrendering and coming out of the mine. They were conducted to the stockade where all the convicts are now safely guarded. The free miners did not interfere in any way in the affair. Pete Hamilton, the convict who was killed yesterday, planned the mutiny as well as the one a year ago. When he was shot the backbone of the mutiny was broken.

Debs' Case Goes Over.

CHICAGO, July 26.—The case of E. V. Debs, president of the American Railway union, and associates was continued today until Counsel Walker is able to appear in court. Judge Woods delivered a brief opinion formally overruling the motion of the defense quashing the case against the American Railway union officers after which the court adjourned. The case was continued until Sep. 5.

Danced Herself to Death.

LAUREL, Del., July 30.—Miss Ida Grace Travis, aged 16 years, of Salisbury, Md., attended a dance a few nights ago. She danced nearly continuously until early in the morning, when she became prostrated and had to be carried from the ballroom. She continued to grow worse, and her mother was telegraphed for, and arrived just in time to see her daughter die.

New Railroad Contemplated.

NEWPORT, Ark., July 30.—The latest enterprise in Newport is a railroad to be built from here to Bonnerville, Ark., on the Kansas City, Memphis and Burlington railroad, thus connecting this place direct with Memphis. The members of the Newport Commercial league are the promoters of this undertaking.

Mrs. Eliza Fuller Dead.

VALDOSTA, Ga., July 25.—Mrs. Eliza Fuller, the last surviving witness of the massacre of the Wilds family by the Seminole Indians in 1838, is dead, at the age of 95. She was compelled to hide in the swamp for over a week, in order to elude the savages.

Judge Goff's Condition.

WHEELING, July 30.—Judge Nathan Goff of the United States court and ex-secretary of the navy is now thought to be out of danger. He was attacked with peritonitis Monday evening, and for a time his recovery was considered doubtful.

No New Trial For McKane.

BROOKLYN, July 28.—The general supreme court has denied the motion for a new trial for McKane in the Gravesend election cases.

Smuggling Vessels Seized.

TAMPA, Fla., July 30.—The revenue cutter McLane seized six more Spanish vessels off Aucklote engaged in smuggling.

The Britannia Won.

PENZANCE, Eng., July 30.—Britannia won in the thirteenth race with the Viglant Saturday.

Fires Raging In Washington.

KALSO, July 30.—Losses so far reported from the awful forest fires raging throughout the mountains of this section aggregate $125,000. The people of the Slocum district are left destitute and without shelter or food. A relief party has gone there, but it is feared there will be much suffering before it pushes its way through the burning forest. It is almost certain a number of lives have been lost among prospectors.

Town Nearly Destroyed.

BELL PLAIN, Ia., July 30.—A fire which started in a blacksmith shop Saturday night resulted in the nearly total destruction of the business part of the town. The losses will aggregate $400,000, with insurance of perhaps half. Help was sent from Cedar Rapids and Tama, but lack of water prevented them from accomplishing much. The weather has been dry for so long that everything burned like tinder. Many people lost all their possessions and are left homeless.

An attempt was made to wreck and rob the paytrain on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton near Chillicothe, O.

DOINGS OF CONGRESS.

LIVELY DEBATE IN THE SENATE OVER THE TARIFF.

President Cleveland Censured and Commended For the Stand He Has Taken In the Matter—Another Conference to Be Held on the Bill.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Every seat in the galleries was filled again today when the senate met. The resumption of heavy firing against the chief executive was anticipated. The strain and excitement were almost as intense as when the senate convened Monday. The senators themselves were slow in arriving most of them remaining in the cloak rooms until after the morning hour.

Senator Vilas of Wisconsin, who was expected to defend the president against some assertions made Monday, was however on hand early and so was Senator Hill who was also billed for a speech.

At 12:28 Senator Harris, the floor manager of the tariff bill, called up the conference report. Almost every seat on the floor was occupied. Hill was on hand and was immediately recognized for a speech.

The New York senator spoke for almost two hours. Several times the presiding officer was unable to restrain the enthusiastic applause his remarks evoked, notably when Mr. Hill declared that personal considerations would not prevent him from defending the president when he was unjustly attacked.

He defended Mr. Cleveland's letter, his right to send it, and the sentiments it contained, and made a strong point against his adversaries when he pointed out that they criticized the president for siding with the house, when they admitted that they had used all their influenced to induce him to interpose in behalf of the senate amendments to the tariff bill. He took up Mr. Gorman's argument and met it point by point in a manner satisfactory to himself, at least, and concluded with a piece of satire that stung those on the floor and tickled the galleries immeasurably.

Mr. Caffery of Louisiana, who followed Mr. Hill with a brief speech, also gave to the country his share of the secrets of the political prisonhouse. He detailed at length the manner in which the sugar schedule had been prepared, insisting that it was made by and in the interest of the sugar trust. He gave way in order to give the Democrats a chance to caucus. Altogether it was a very exciting day.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—In the morning hour in the senate the conference report an the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was agreed to.

Mr. Coke secured the passage by unanimous consent of a bill granting to the Arkansas, Texas and Mexican Railway company right of way through the Indian Territory.

Mr. Vest, in the absence of Mr. Voorhees, chairman of the finance committee, who is ill, called up the conference report on the tariff bill. The principal feature of the day was the continuation of the speech of Senator Caffery of Louisiana.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—By an agreement the conference report on the tariff bill was deferred when the senate met to-day until 2 p. m.

At 2 o'clock Mr. Jones called up the conference report on the tariff bill.

Mr. Vilas was immediately recognized, but yielded to Mr. Quay, who withdrew the sugar amendments he offered just before adjournment Wednesday night.

Senator Vilas of Wisconsin, who was secretary of the interior and later postmaster general daring Mr. Cleveland's first administration, replied at great length to Senator Gorman's attack upon the president. For two hours he held the floor amid the wrapt attention of the senate and galleries, delivering his scathing rebuke to the Maryland senator. He denounced Gorman's assault as wanton, reckless and unjustifiable, and though he declared that Mr. Cleveland needed no defense at his hands, he took up seriatum the charges made by Mr. Gorman and met them with masterly skill and logic. He made his statement, he said, in the interest of the truth of history.

Mr. Gorman was not in the senate at the time and to this fact the Wisconsin senator called attention with regret.

In conclusion he eulogized the personal character and integrity of Mr. Cleveland in the most glowing terms, glowing with dramatic fervor, that the president of the United States, who received so many evidences of the honor and respect of the American people, could not suffer from this unjustifiable attack of the Maryland senator.

At the conclusion of his speech Mr. Vilas explained that in view of the fact that Messrs. Gorman, Brice and Smith had assured him that his motion to recede from the one-eighth differential in favor of the refiners of sugar must fail and the further fact that a Democratic caucus had decided to agree to a further conference with instructions, he would withdraw the motion.

After some general remarks by Mr. Stewart against the interference of the executive with the legislative branch of the government Mr. Hill's motion that the senate recede from its amendments placing a duty of 40 cents ₰ ton on coal and iron ore were voted upon and defeated, the Republicans, except Mr. Hansbrough of North Dakota, joining with the Democrats bound by the caucus agreement against it. The vote stood 6 to 65 and 6 to 64. Mr. Irby of South Carolina was the only other Democrat, except Mr. Hill, who voted for free coal and iron. The Populists, Allen, Kyle and Peffer, also voted in the affirmative.

Mr. Washburn (Rep., Minn.) renewed Mr. Vilas' motion to instruct the conference to recede from the one-eighth differential on refined sugars, but Mr. Gray immediately made the point of order against it that it was not competent for the senate to instruct in a "full and free conference." The point of order was debated for some time, but had not been decided when the senate adjourned. There is no doubt, however, that it will be sustained and this motion ruled out.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The senate at 3 o'clock today, after a week of senatorial speeches, agreed to the further conference on the tariff asked by the house of representatives.

The test of strength came on Mr. Washburn's motion that the senate recede from that portion of the sugar amendment placing a differential of one-eighth of 1 cent on sugars above No. 16, Dutch standard.

After an hour and a half of debate on the pending points of order, the president pro tem., Mr. Harris, who was in the chair in the absence of Vice President Stevenson, sustained the point of order and ruled the motion out. The decision was immediately appealed from and a motion made to lay the motion on the table. Both motions resulted in a tie vote, Mr. Hill and the Populists acting with the Republicans. In case of a tie the motion is lost, according to parliamentary law.

The failure to sustain the chair on the appeal brought the senate to a direct vote on the Washburn motion. Upon the result hinged perhaps the fate of the measure. But though the Republicans scored the victory in securing the vote on the one-eighth differential, it developed that they had no reserve strength and the vote on the Washburn motion also resulted in a tie and consequently was lost. All the Democrats, save Hill and Irby, who were paired in favor of striking out the one-eighth, stood by the cancus agreement and voted against the motion.

The Republicans also presented a solid front. Quay, who voted for the one-eighth differential when the bill was in the senate, joined with his colleagues in the hope of beating the bill by this indirect method. The three Populist senators voted with the Republicans. After these votes no attempt was made to delay matters, and the resolution to agree to a further conference was agreed to without division.

The chair then reappointed the conferees, Messrs. Voorhees, Jones, Vest, Harris, Sherman, Allison and Aldrich, and the senate, after transacting a little routine business, adjourned until Monday.

The House.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The house passed by a party vote the bill for the reinstatement of clerks dismissed from railway service between March 15 and May 1, 1889. The vote was: Yeas, 140; nays, 53.

Several minor bills were passed and at 4 o'clock the house adjourned.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—In the house communications were read which passed between the French government and the American ambassy at Paris relative to the assassination of President Carnot. The secretary of the United States embassy stated that the resolutions of condolence of the house and senate were read in the French chamber of deputies and senate amid great enthusiasm.

The conference report on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was laid before the house and gave rise to considerable discussion, principally on the clause giving the commissioner of pensions $250,000 [a compromise between the $200,000 of the house and $300,000 of the senate] for making special examinations. The report was agreed to.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The proceedings in the house were dull in the extreme and one by one the members left their desks until by 3:30 there was not a half of a hundred members in the chamber.

The conference report on the fortifications appropriation bill was agreed to.

The day had been assigned to the committee on rivers and harbors and some 20 or 30 bills reported from this committee were passed, among them the following: To establish a lighthouse at the entrance to Galveston harbor, Texas, at a cost of $35,000; making Oakland, Cal., a port of entry; amending the act for the construction of a bridge across the St. Louis river between Minnesota and Wisconsin; to bridge the Osage river in Missouri and the Missouri river near DeWitt, Mo., and to authorize the St. Louis, Avogelles and Southwestern Railway company to bridge Bayou des Glaises and Atchafalaya river in Louisiana.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—There was not a quorum of members in the house at any time, and all the business that was transacted was by unanimous consent. Only once was there a hitch in the smooth running congressional machinery, and in this case advantage was taken of the absence of a quorum to prevent action on a bill.

At 5 o'clock the house took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session was devoted to private bills.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—The house held a very short session Saturday, but managed in the two and a quarter hours it was in session to transact a good deal of business of a private character. Half a dozen private bills heretofore favorably acted upon at the Friday night sessions were passed, as were also a number of other senate and house bills.

The only thing of importance in the proceedings was the discussion, without action, of a bill to amend the revised statutes, so as to give Federal courts additional powers in dealing with violations of the copyright law as is applied to plays and operas.

A joint resolution was adopted still further extending the appropriations for 1894 until Aug. 14, and as the thermometer was in speaking distance of the century mark, at 2:20 p. m. the house adjourned.

J. T. Fitzpatrick has sued the New Orleans States for $100,000 damages for alleged libel.

The Pottawatomie Indians are holding their annual "green corn dance" near Topeka, Kan.

The ex-parte trial of Warden Chase of the Kansas penitentiary was ended by a finding exonerating him.

Pennyweight Powell was placed on trial in Jackson county, Arkansas, for killing Conductor W. P. McNally.

The large smelter works in Wyandotte county, Kansas, will soon be put in operation to extract aluminum from clay.

The priest of the Church of St. Paul (Polish Catholic) at Omaha has asked police protection from antagonistic factions.

Polk Wells, a noted Iowa desperado, confined in the penitentiary, has been converted, and is doing missionary work among the convicts.

William Ramsey was killed by the cars at Crossville, Ills.

Frank Hawkins, a notorious Creek outlaw, was shot and killed near Eufaula, I. T.

The commissioners of the Lincoln monument at Springfield, Ills., have tendered it to the state.

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PEOPLE HOMELESS AND THE SCENE BEGGARS DESCRIPTION.

Nothing Like It Has Occurred Since the Terrible Forest Fire That Destroyed Peshtigo—Fourteen Lives Are Known to Be Lost.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 30.—A special from Phillips says: The terrible scene at Phillips beggars all description—the blackened faces of those who fought to save their homes stare with bloodshot eyes at the heaps of ruins which mark their once happy homes. Not since the terrible forest fires that destroyed Peshtigo has anything occurred which will describe the scene of ruin here.

A committee of citizens of Ashland arrived with a special train late Saturday night which was the first material relief to arrive, and it arrived in time to keep the people from actual suffering. The provisions were given out in small quantities, so as to make them last as long as possible and keep something available until other provisions arrived. Men and women walk the streets wringing their hands and bemoaning their sad fate. A town hall and a few buildings are all that is left standing. Tents are now being utilized.

Governor Peck and his staff arrived from Madison yesterday morning. A dozen cars of provisions have arrived from various cities and the organization for relief has been completed. Great crowds of residents who were chased out of the city by the flames Friday are returning to look over the ruins. Already lumber is being shipped in for the purpose of rebuilding and operations have already begun.

It is a remarkable coincidence that all of the terrible fires in northern Wisconsin have occurred on July 27. It was on July 27, 1892, that Iron River, in the northern part of Wisconsin, was totally wiped out by the flames, and all the state responded promptly to the call for aid. Fairfield, another sawmill town, was almost totally wiped out by fire July 27, 1893, and now comes the total destruction of Phillips on Friday, July 27, 1894.

The list of the dead recovered from the river is as follows:

Mrs. Dave Dryden and two children.
James E. Locke and two children.
Frank Cliss and one child.
There are three still in the water—Mrs. James Locke and two children.

The unknown person found proved to be a woman and was so designated by the coroner's jury.

The dead so far as known number 14, but the exact number will probably never be known.

The property loss cannot at this time be accurately estimated, but it will reach at least $1,250,000.

The sale of liquor has been stopped. A bexcar has been turned into a jail, special deputies sworn in and all lawlessness will be suppressed.

Whole Towns Destroyed.

ST. PAUL, July 30.—A special from Ashland, Wis., says forest fires are producing great suffering and loss throughout the vicinity and railroad companies have never before experienced such damage from fires. On the Wisconsin Central it is impossible to move trains

A dispatch received from Field, a small station a few miles this side of Phillips, shows that 500 men and children from Phillips are in the woods without shelter. They sent a request for food and supplies, as supply at Field is very short.

Along the Omaha line the fires are raging with terrible fierceness. Shores Crossing, a little village eight miles west of Ashland, was destroyed and not a building remains standing and the homeless families were brought to Ashland. The railroad bridges near there were destroyed and a fast Omaha freight and express of loaded cars was entirely burned up. Both the engineer and fireman were injured and a brakeman is missing.

Mason, a small town south on the Omaha line, caught fire at 2 o'clock. The White River Lumber company's mill with 40,000,000 feet of lumber in the yards was destroyed. The latest report received here says the entire town is threatened.

So far no loss of life is reported. The fire department is carefully guarding the outside limits of Ashland and the city is not in any immediate danger.

Nine Buildings Consumed.

MILWAUKEE, July 30.—A dispatch from Chilton, Wis., says nine new buildings were consumed by fire at Hildbert this morning. The wind was blowing a heavy gale and the entire town was threatened with destruction.

William Collins at Birmingham, Ala., killed his father and severely wounded his sister. He took them for burglars.

Mrs. Warren Springer is under arrest in Chicago charged with attempting to bribe jurymen.

Henry W. Harrison while witnessing a game of ball at Tyler, Tex., fell out of a tree and broke his neck.

There is a row over the estate of the late Henry S. Ives.

Fire at Chenoa, Ills., did $100,000 damage in the business portion.

Insurance rates in Tennessee cities are being raised from 10 to 25 per cent.

J. A. T. Hull has been nominated by the Seventh Iowa Republicans for congress.

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We hope that our friends in each community will select some one at once to represent THE DEMOCRAT both in corresponding and soliciting subscribers.

JAPAN has formally declared war against China.

FUSION is all right when it is based on principles.

AN earthquake shock was felt at Los Angeles, Cal., Monday.

TENNESSEE holds an election for supreme court judges today.

HOT winds are destroying the crops of Nebraska and Kansas.

ON november 6, 1894, a big strike will be ordered—at the ballot box.

LET the government own the trusts rather than the trusts own the government.

"THE public be d—d," is the sentiment now prevailing in the United States Congress.

GOV. HOGG is about to prove that he was not in Austin at the time he made his speech in that city.

GOV. HOGG made a speech at San Antonio Wednesday night in which he scores Cleveland for usurping of power.

IF it were not for Peffer's whiskers and Simpson's socks democratic papers would be out of campaign thunder.

THE gold reserve of the treasury is fast being exported to Europe. Another bond issue will likely be the result.

OATES the democratic nominee for governor of Alabama, is now depending on the negro vote to save him from defeat.

MEN in talking their politics or religion should not bore their listeners into utter disgust by a continued harangue.

THE recent populist encampment at Van Alstyne must have been a big success, judging from the howling of the Van Alstyne papers.

WE are pleased to note that the Waco Day Globe is on its feet again. Its facilities have been increased. Success will surely crown its efforts.

THE ship Kow Shung, which was sank by a Japanese cruiser, carried a British flag. England now proposes to make Japan pay for the insult.

PESIDENT DEBS, of the American Railway union, has declared his intention of never again to engage in strikes of any kind, but will hereafter advise labor to seek redress at the ballot box. This is a sensible conclusion.

EVEN "dignified" United States democratic senators accuse Cleveland of double dealing—a liar—violator of the constitution, &c. &c. &c. When a populist makes a like charge he is classed as an anarchist.

THE Waco cotton palace managers have decided to give the editors of the state a special day in the beautiful central city during the cotton palace season. The Waco people are generous and the pencil pushers will prove grateful. On to the cotton palace.

THE little city of Chandler in Oklahoma was the scene of a bold daylight bank robbery Tuesday. The robbers entered the bank at 10 a. m., got what money was in sight and retreated. During the retreat a barber who gave the alarm was shot and killed by one of the robbers. One robber was crippled and captured. Four escaped.

IF any one has doubts about Collin county being the garden spot of the globe just let him visit its borders now and gaze over its bounteous fields of grain, cotton, fruits and vegetables. McKinney, the county site, is on tiptoe with expectation of free and unlimited coinage of prosperity during the coming fall which is assured if prices will only return to the arms of "confidence." The hammer and saw furnishes music in abundance for the citizenship of our city.

Two years ago the democrats of the south and west were told that the financial question must be put aside to await a settlement of the tariff issue. Now the protection democrats in the senate propose to settle tariff issues by turning Bill McKinley's coat.-Fort Worth Gazette.

And at that critical period the populists, together with wise democrats, clamored and plead for congress to give the financial question precedence over all others, claiming that the dire calamities then threatening the country would be augmented to the degree that the volume of money was decreased, and that the slighting of the financial question was a blow to every interest of the country; and that to falter in this duty was criminal and fatal especially to the poor of the land. But the leaders in power put a different construction—and still stick to the tariff and avail nothing, while the country sinks deeper in the slough of despond.—Jefferson Jimplecute.

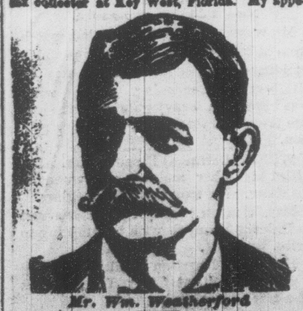
Studying to Please.

"Must I run these two scandals under one head?" asked the foreman.

"No, indeed," replied the thoughtful editor, "run one on the sporting page and one on the woman's page. Then the two heads can divide the paper and keep peace between them. —Indianapolis Journal.

Much Run Down

Was my condition, says Mr. Wm. Weatherford, ex collector at Key West, Florida. My appe-



Mr. Wm. Weatherford

tite was poor and I was quite miserable. Friends advised me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

taken 3 bottles, and am much better, have gained in weight, and enjoy a good appetite.

Hood's Pills are a mild cathartic. 25c.

YES, PLENTY.

Oh, yes! There is plenty of money! So there is plenty of water—in the Pacific ocean. But that don't help our corn.—Kirwin (Kan.) Independent.

An Unfortunate Expectation.

Jack—She says "no" to everything you say, doesn't she?

Tom—Not always. When I asked her if she persisted in her refusal, she said "yes."

HE KNEW THE RESULT.

Cleveland begged for the repeal of "the silver purchasing law, to stop our gold from going to Europe." He got the repeal all right but ask Carlisle about the stopper.—Inter-Ocean. (Republican.)

Too Much to Carry.

"Mr. Blink's office is on the sixteenth floor. Just take the elevator up."

Mr. Cornhusk—"Not much, young man, this basket of eggs an' a carpet bag is enough for me to carry."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

CAN'T PARADE IN HONOR OF DEBS.

Chicago, July 31—Mayor Hopkins to-day refused the American Railway union permission to parade as a reception to President Debs, who is expected to-morrow. Invitations had been sent to all the labor unions in the city, asking them to paticipate, but upon the mayor's refusal to permit the parade the invitations were withdrawn and Debs will be met at the depot by a small committee.

HER HEAD SPLIT OPEN.

Rockwall, Rockwall Co., Tex., July 30.—Last night about 8 o'clock Lizzie Randle, colored, was killed. The homicide used an ax. Her head was split open and her brains scattered. Yesterday she accompanied a negro man to church over the protest of her husband. William Randle, the woman's husband, is missing. Sheriff Vernon succeeded in getting dogs from Dallas to-day, but owing to the length of time elapsing the dogs could not get his track.

A CLINCHER.

If congress so unanimously endorses the sending of troops into states, upon the president's edicts, why should they repeal the federal election laws? Why should not the president send troops anywhere to protect the rights of a citizen as well as his property? The president at all times to decide when an emergency exists. Geo. Clark and his followers can not endorse both sides of a question at the same time.—McKinney Enquirer.

A HORRIBLE DEATH.

A Colored Girl at Texarkana Tortured and Starved to Death.

Texarkana, Ark., July 31,—Henry Wheeler and his wife, both colored, who live in the north suburbs of town, were arrested and lodged in jail this morning on the charge of killing the 16-year-old sister of Wheeler's wife, who has been living with them. It is charged that they tied her hand and foot and left her alone for days at a time in a secluded cabin. The flies got on the lacerated portions of her body, upon which she had been beaten, and worms formed by the hundreds. When found she was literally a living skeleton and was too far gone to recieve any benefit from medical attention. A coroner's jury decided it to be a case of murder and Wheeler and his wife were arrested.

The colored population is very much wrought up over the horrible affair. Wheeler has been sexton for ten years at the Southern Methodist church.

NEGROES TO SUPPORT OATES.

New Orleans, La., July 30.—A Birmingham, Ala., special says: Leading colored ministers of Alabama recently held a conference here and decided to give the support of their race to the party that enforced the law requiring separate coaches for the two races; that gave like punishment for like punishment, both to negroes and whites; that enacted laws protecting negro women from whites and blacks and pledging themselves to maintain law and order.

Their demands were submitted to Chairman Tompkins of the state democratic ticket, who has answered that the democratic party would grant them Yesterday the ministers issued an address to their race in the state, saying they must look to the majority, the best element of the white people, for protection and that it is important that all negroes vote for Oates and the democratic ticket and urging them so to do. This practically insures to Oates the support of a majority of the colored race. The election takes place Monday, Aug 6

JAPS ARE VICTORIOUS.

Shanghai, July 31, 10 p. m.—News has just been received here of a desperate battle between the fleets of China and Japan, in which the Chinese were defeated and the Chen Yuen, the largest battleship but one in the Chinese service, was sunk and two other large Chinese vessels, said to be first-class cruisers, were captured or destroyed. The battle was hotly contested, but the Japanese appeared to have handled their guns, ships and torpedoes with more skill than the Chinese.

The Chinese fleet engaged carried nearly 1000 men and a large number of them are reported to have been killed or drowned. Later dispatches say that few, if any, of the Chinese engaged in the battle escaped.

Two German officers in command of the Chen Yuen are reported to have met death with the crew of the vessel.

White's Grove Picnic Program.

On Friday Aug. 10, 1894, the M. E. South, Baptist and Christian Sunday schools have agreed to unite and give a Sunday school picnic at White's Grove church house. Exercises beginning at 9 o'clock a. m.

The program is as follows:

March by the Sunday schools, Mr. Aron Pearce drill for the march; H. McMahan to carry banner for the march.

Address of welcome by Miss Lizzie Pearce.

Welcome song by the choir; Mr. J. A. Gregg and Miss Ola Epps, leaders of music.

Recitation by little Bessie Elkins.

Song by little Lucille Payne, Mary Pearce, Lizzie Gerrish, and Bessie Elkins.

Recitation by Miss Clyde Elkins.

Recitation by Mr. Leslie Shields.

Song by Emma Pearce, Hattie McMahan, Alice Bailiff, Katie Elkins, Mattie Bush and Willie Bridges.

Recitation by Lucille Payne.

Song by Lula Bailiff, Lula McMahan, Lala Dorsey and Daisy Gaither.

Recitation by Good Elkins.

Quartette: J. H. Holomen, H. M. McMahan, Miss Mollie McKnight and Miss Mollie Gaither

Recitation by Mary Pearce.

Reading, Miss Mollie Scott.

Song by the choir.

Jas. Bush, marshal of the day.

John Church of McKinney, will deliver an address in response to the address of welcome; Bro. Morris will deliver an address representing the M. E. Sunday school in the forenoon. Parson Harris, representing the Baptist Sunday school, will deliver an address afternoon. Bro. Terrell, representing the Christian Sunday school. Each address not to exceed one hour. Mr. Jerry Elkins will introduce the speakers.

Badges for the committee, white with gilt letters; badges for the school; blue with gilt letters.

Committee of arrangements: J. G. Williams, Joe McMahan, H. M. McMahan, W. M. Horn and A. R. Epps.

Committee of program: J. A. Gregg, Miss Lizzie Payne, Miss Clara Pearce, Miss Nannie Gaither and Mrs. Jas. Bush;

We extend a cordial invitation to all.

Well filled baskets will be very acceptable and highly appreciated. Come one, come all.

Very respectfully,

J. A. GREGG,
LESLIE SHIELDS.

THE STATE TICKET

ALL ARE QUALIFIED MEN AND ABOVE REPROACH.

Our Nominees Needing No Defense. Personalities Can Be Avoidedand All The More Time Devoted to Discussion of the Many Issues Involved.

In putting before the people of this state candidates for the various offices to be filled at the ensuing election, the state convention of the populist party at Waco last month was guided throughout by the highest degree of good judgment and wisdom, the result being a ticket absolutely unassailable either as to the character or ability of the gentlemen whose names make it up. Every one of the nominees successfully meets the most exacting requirements as to good citizenship, proved honesty and integrity, and fitness for the position to which he aspires. These statements are made in no mere perfunctory spirit, nor because it is usual for a party newspaper to praise the nominees of its party, but because the truth of it will be given a cordial and hearty recognition by the people of all parties. The convention and the party, therefore, are to be congratulated upon the happy auspices under which the great campaign which is to be waged in this state starts off.

With men of approved character and admitted fitness, the questions of personality may be largely, if not altogether, left to take care of themselves, and the battle for supremacy may be waged wholly upon questions of principle and public policy. For the sake of both the party and the state, it is well that such is the case.

Political contests, in which the personality of the various candidates become so great a part of the issues made up as to practically leave untouched the real questions of the day, are never productive of any lasting good; in fact are many times a fruitful source of evil. If the democracy shall do as well for the personal of its nominees the people of the state will have cause to felicitate themselves in having the prospect of a campaign free from the disagreeable and disgusting personalities which were so considerable a part of thecontest two years ago; a campaign where principlesa nd notmerely men shall be pitted against each other for the mastery.

And upon these questions of public policy the populist party has spoken in clear cut, concise, ringing terms, and in its platform laid down the challenge to the democracy of Texas, and to all comers. The wellfare of the people of Texas, and, in a measure at least, of the south and west as well, is at stake in the battle. Than this the populist party has no other concern. And it believes it is in the right, and in the power of the right to triumph. Austin Argus.

SHOOTING AT A TEXAN.

It Made Him Homesick to Ride in Buffalo Bill's Deadwood Coach.

When Col. Frank Prometheus Holland, of Dallas, Tex., came up north to see what he could see, he chanced to meet Major J. C. Bush, of the same state, who is spending a few years in New York. Col. Holland is the publisher of the Farm and Ranch at Dallas. He wanted to inquire into our effete eastern civilization, and Gen. George B. Briggs, of the American Agriculturist, Capt. Elias H. Masters, of the rural department of the Tribune and Sergeant Ralph H. McKee, of the Dayton Farmer's Home undertook to show him about town, In search of novelties they took him down to Buffalo Bill's show at Ambrose park, South Brooklyn. At the end of the voyage the party sauntered from the boat to the gates of the show.

Major Bush was about to explain to the man at the gate that this was Col. Frank Prometheus Holland of Dallas, Tex. There was a scurrying of feet, a rippling of barbed wire, a grating of gravel and a cloud of dust. Out of the confusion came an eager chorus:

"Hello, Prometheus! Why, bless my soul, is that you?"

It was Col. Cody, Major Burke, Col. Small and Capt. Haller, all friends of Col. Holland.

Major Bush, Gen. Briggs, Capt. Masters, Sergt. Mckee, and the others of Col. Holland's suite sank into innocuous desuetude. They had set out to show him some of the wonders of the east, and lo! he was conducting them through familiar experiences of the wild west.

It became necessary for the eastern conductors of this little party to reassert themselves. They proposed to Capt. Haller to take Col. Holland and a few friends in the Deadwood coach. Col. Small tipped a few hostile Indians and the sport began. The Indians don't usually read the Farm and Ranch, but Col. Small explained to them some thing of its incendiary utterances in favor of farm cultivation as opposed to the lawless depredations of the Indians. The redskins resented all this, and when the coach started out, with Col. Holland smiling like a beam of sunlight on a polished milk tin, it only served to excite the savages.

There is a little bridge over the mimic Little Big Horn, over which the stage tears wildly. Col. Holland was remarking that in the landscape of the far west he had never observed such numbers of rivets as held together this painted scene set up in the east, when a volley of rifles was discharged in his left ear. Col. Holland's smile broadened. His expression was one of infinite delight. He explained that these familiar scenes had given him a touch of homesickness, but the smell of powder made him feel at home again.

Col. Holland, in fact, was in ecstasy. In a flash he had out his pop, and but for the united efforts of his Deadwood stage companions, who with one accord threw themselves upon him, he would have had it out there and there with the redskins. When it was explained to Col. Holland that the Indians were all under contract and couldn't be spared by Col. Cody, Col. Holland put up his gun and permitted himself to be conducted back to New York by Major Bush. He will return to Dallas in a few days without having had to reload his revolver.—New York Sun.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remainiug unclaimed in the postoffice at McKinney, Texas, July 30, 1894, which if unclaimed in two weeks, will be sent to the Dead Letter office at Washington, D. C.

Anderson J H	Johnson Buckner
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Andrews Wade	Johnson J R
Anison Jas	Johnson A O
Annis W T	Johnson Minnie
Ayecock J D	Lewis G F
Baker William	Mack Danel Mary
Bennett Lizzie	McLellan T G
Boldon Will	McDunner Susie
Comick M E	Parker Robert
Davis A S	Parker S M
Dunn A L	Preuss Otto
Erwin J D	Pifer Tom
Easters G W	Phillips Ben
Filey M I	Quisenbury Archelous
Gugar C Z	Richardson Ben
Griffin Mr Jas	Runyon Pink
Griffin Bam	Seyer E
Hammond Thos	Stevens Mrs Isiac
Hill Ruritha	Sproled Delia
Hunted Mulissa	Findsie Annie
Hunt Ann S	Smith Jno G
Jones J R	Smith H
Kendall W A	Smith H J
Keesh Manford	Webb W A

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Hunt County Encampment.

Hunt county will have a grand populist encampment at Greenville on August 7, 8 and 9. The best speakers available will be present. Judge Nugent, Ashby, Jenkins of Brownwood, Kearby of Dallas, Browder of Gainesville, Dumas of Montague, Dr. Robertson of San Antonio and others have been invited. All populists are invited to assist the committee in making this a grand success.

Every preparation for the largest encampment of the state will be made and we cordially invite all the people, of every political faith to come out and take part withus.

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Rainfall.

Rainfall at ad valorem, six miles north of McKinney, Tex. for July, 1894, as kept by C. B. Moore.

	inches.
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8	¼
19 and 20	3¾
Total,	5¼

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Princeton, Texas.

Public Speaking.

Hon. J. H. Davis will address the people at Lebanon, Monday, August 6; Weston, Tuesday Aug. 7, and McKinney Wednesday Aug. 8. Everybody cordially invited. Friends will please publish the above.

Amateur Bicycle Club.

Mckinney now has an amateur ladies bicycle club. Quite a large number of the little girls assembled at the home of J. P. Dowell Wednesday evening and organized the Lone Star Bicycle club. Miss Jim Jenkins was chosen president; Mack Marshall, vice president; Clara Dowell, secretary and Margie Lovejoy treasurer. Suitable resolutions and by-laws were adopted. One clause of the by laws imposes a fine of 5 cents on each absent member at any stated meeting, unless prevented by sickness or the jection of "mama." The club is in excellent working order and bids fair for success.

If you wish to meet a smiling wife and happy children on your return home, why, just purch se your groceries from Tommy Jones.

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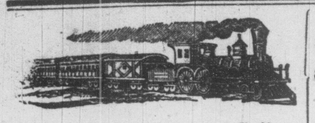

Houston and Texas Central Railway Time Table.

Going North,	No.	13	Arrives	5:21 a. m.
"	"	3	"	10:59 a. m.
"	"	1	"	8:15 p. m.
" South	"	2	"	8:14 a. m.
"	"	4	"	4:49 p. m.
"	"	14	"	9:28 p. m.

Sherman, Shreveport and Southern.

West Bound arrives.

Passenger Arrives..... 4:25 p. m.
Accommodation Arrives..... 10:50 a. m.

East Bound Departs.

Passenger Departs..... 12:09 p. m.
Accoommodation..... 4:55 p. m.

Peoples Party Ticket.

For Representative,
J. T. BRANCH,
JOHN DOYLE.

For County Judge,
L. L. MILLER.

For Sheriff,
W. T. Hale.

For County Clerk,
E. C. FORBES.

For District Clerk,
W. T. NEWSOME.

For Treasurer,
W. W. CHAPMAN.

For Assessor,
JOHN Y. BOWEN.

For Surveyor,
C. W. NOYES.

LOCAL NEWS.

A light rain fell here Wednesday night.

Mrs. Tom Connor died Tuesday morning.

Sam Todd was in to see us last Tuesday.

Mrs. G. C. Thompson is on the sick list.

J. F. Cave of Melissa was in the city this week.

J. E. Bateman of Celina was in the city last Friday.

A. D. Stelver of Celina, was in McKinney Monday.

John Greenwood of Prosper, was in the city Monday.

C. M. Largent, of Melissa, was in the city Monday.

Miss Emma Bennett visited friends in the city this week.

Mr. Frank Taylor, of Millwood was in the city Saturday.

Catholic services were held in the opera house last Sunday.

Miss Mary Magner visited relatives in Sherman this week.

The watermelon market has been crowded during the past week.

Dick Shults is again in our midst after an absence of a few months.

Capt. John Johnson and lady left to-day for a visit to Missouri.

A great many new dwellings are in course of construction in the city.

The Christian pulpit was ably occupied Sunday night by Prof. Shearer.

M. C. Swaim, of Altoga, returned from a visit to Mississippi last week.

George Betterton, son of W. P. Betterton, died Monday morning of congestion.

Miss Minnie Dillon, of Fort Worth, is visiting relatives near Lebanon this week.

Mr. H. M. Johnson, from north of McKinney four miles, gave us a pleasant call monday.

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MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

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Mrs. Helen Woods was thrown from a wagon Sunday and sustained painful injuries.

Miss Bettie Parker is visiting the family of her brother, Ernest Parker, of Van Alstyne this week.

J. P. Crouch has his business house under repair. The ground flooring is being taken out this week.

Ed Runnion is in the city. Ed will resume his position with the Van Alstyne News on September 1.

The artesian well is being supplied with a pump. Work for artesian water flow has been abandoned.

The protracted meeting at Woodlawn has resulted in over 100 conversions, 60 of whom has joined the church,

Mr. C. L. Young, of the Kentucky store, left for a visit to Kentucky. He will go to the markets before his return.

Mr. J. P. Gaines, of Melissa, left Monday for Clark county, Mo., where he goes to attend the bedside of his sick mother.

Reports are to the effect that there will be large crowds at the Davis' speaking; especially if joint discussions are obtained.

All those wanting first class peaches for preserving or sweet pickles call on F. W. Mack, at T. D. Emeron & Bro's. office.

Mrs. J. D. Kirk of Mumford, Robertson county, Texas, is spending a few days in our city visiting her brother, J. Frank Smith.

What do you take medicine for? Because you are sick and want to get well, of course. Then remember, Hood's Sarsaparilla CURES.

G. B. Stewart is getting his gin in fine shape for the coming crop of cotton. He is hauling part of his machinery from Dallas.

A base ball game between Nevada and McKinney took place here last Friday, resulting in a score of 22 to 9 in favor of Mckinney.

Lee Farris, an old Collin county citizen but now of Rockwall, has been greeting his many friends on our streets during the past week.

Clint Thompson, editor of the Gazette has returned from his Canada trip much improved. His muscles expanded wonderfully while absent.

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Mr. Thornton has in charge the great mastodon skeleton recently unearthed near Bonham. It can be seen in the Bingham block just west of the square:

Van Webster, son of Dr. J. P. Webster, has gone to San Antonio where he will remain for some time attending the San Antonio Commercial college.

The Sherman, Shreveport & Southern railroad will sell round trip tickets to Musgrove Springs, Texas, until Oct. 31 good for 30 days at one and one third fare.

George Straughan, of Viney Grove, was seriously injured by his horse falling with him. One arm was broken at the wrist, and other cuts and bruises sustained.

While working on top of his engine Saturday last, John Sims, engineer for Duncan, Turner & Griffin's thresher, slipped and fell to the ground and sustained severe injuries about the back and ribs.

Clint Thompson, of the Gazette, went to Dallas yesterday to engage rooms at the Oriental, to use during the democratic state convention. About all the leaders have rooms engaged now.

Misses Joe Davis and Josie Talkington are visiting in Sherman.

W. R. Smith, a former citizen of this county, but now of Clay county, was in McKinney this week.

Miss Maggie Jessup, of Dallas, an accomplished typo, is now employed by the McKinney Gazette.

A large number will attend the democratic state convention, at Dallas on the 14th, from McKinney.

The usual gang of toughs were on hand at the reunion. Several knock downs occurred at the close of the reunion.

Thanks to Mr. E. W. Kirkpatrick for a nice lot of plums left at this office.

T. J. Melton & Sons have just received a nice line of Blank's fancy candies.

Messrs J. M. Bennett and Fred Rucker, of Cleveland, Tenn., relatives of Mr. John George, of Altoga, arrived here last week and will make Collin county their future home.

The meeting at Vineland, under the charge of Elder Hunsacre, is progressing fine. Elder Hunsacre leaves for west Texas, but the meeting will proceed on with Elders Horn and Faulkner in charge. There has been one addition so far.

China and Japan are at war while Tommy Jones, the groceryman, is knocking the ever lasting daylight out of high prices.

Messrs. Waters and Stevenson, two enterprising threshing men of our county, have shipped their threshing outfit to Oklahoma where they go to assist the happy farmers of that section to save their valuable 40 cent wheat.

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Less White has returned from New York where he assisted in selecting a complete line of clothing and furnishing goods for G. F. Bolton's new clothing store, of which Less will be chief salesman.

S. Palmer Brooks, who has been engaged to teach the coming session at the Collegiate Institute, arrived in McKinney Saturday and is now pleasantly meeting the young people of our town and county.

Mr. J. C. Boswell, one of the best known and most respected citizens of Brownwood, Texas, suffered with diarrhœa for a long time and tried many different remedies without benefit, until Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy was used; that relieved him at once. For sale by R. E. Bristol.

"The teachers' special Training School," which has been so ably conducted at the Petersburg building during the past two months by Profs. Hudgins and Jones, closed Friday. The teachers attending express themselves as being highly pleased with the work accomplished. As the examinations for county certificates are so close at hand Prof. Hudgins has consented to continue the session up till that time which will be about three weeks hence.

Obituary.

Mrs. S. C. Carr died in McKinney on the morning of July 27, 1894.

Mrs. Carr was born in the city of Philadelphia on April 16, 1854. She had lived in McKinney for two years previous to her death.

After a week of painful illness the good lady succumbed to the inevitable, leaving behind a husband and little daughter to mourn her departure. She died as she had lived a kind, generous and noble woman. As she gazed down the corridor of the future, she saw no demon fear. She implicitly trusted to the intelligent power that created all. Love, honor and devotion to her race composed her religion. On entering the tomb she felt that she was going where millions had gone before, consequently she allowed no shadow, born of superstitious fear, to linger in her pathway.

Let us believe, in spite of doubts and fears, that the salutation, "goodnight," will be followed, on some brighter shore, by the joyous greeting, "good morning."

A FRIEND.

Ex-Confederate Re-Union—A Big Crowd.

Amid the booming of cannon and the noise of flying vehicles the reunion was ushered in. People began to arrive by hundreds late Thursday evening to attend the confederate veteran reunion at Andrews park, just east of the city. Hundreds camped on the grounds while every wagon yard in the city was filled to its utmost capacity. Up to 12 o'clock Friday a constant stream of vehicles loaded with human freight and hundreds on horseback passed into the park. Fully 5000 people were present, which is considered the largest attendance of any previous meeting of Collin county ex-confederates.

Hundreds could not witness the proceedings at the grand stand and they strolled through the beautiful grove.

The exercises consisted of music by the Nevada brass band, patriotic songs by a score of young ladies and speech-making by comrades.

Capt J. M. Pearson, Hon. H. C. Mack, Capt Tuck Hill, W. T. Beverly, all of McKinney, Capt. T. M. Scott, of Melissa, Major H. W. Manson of Rockwall and various others delivered speeches.

At a business meeting Friday afternoon Capt. Tuck Hill of McKinney was elected president of Camp 109, United Confederate Veterans of Collin county.

The business men of McKinney closed their places of business Friday and attended the reunion.. A basket dinner was given and the multitude was fed without difficulty. The reunion was a grand success and the day will long be remembered by those who were present.

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by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Alliance Resolutions.

The following resoluions were adopted by the Collin County Alliance July 18, 1894:

Whereas: Recent developments indicate that a crisis has been reached in the history of labor organizations, and

Whereas: We believe that the present determined effort on the part of organized capital to crush our kindred organizations demands an expression from our order in regard to the present troubles. Therefore be it Resolved:

1st. That we sympathize with the striking employes of the Pullman Car company in their struggle for justice.

2nd: That we commend the action of the American Railway union, Knights of Labor, and other labor organizations in lending their assistance to the oppressed Pullman employes.

3rd: That we denounce the action of G. W. Pullman in refusing to arbitrate the differences between himself and employes as arbitrary, unpatriotic and brutal.

4th: That we condemn in the severest terms the autocratic assumption of authority by the president of the United States in interfering with the execution of the laws by state and local authorities, by sending the military forces of the government into certain states over the protests of the governors thereof; and we regard the same as a violation of the rights of states to control their own local affairs.

5th: That we heartily indorse the action of Governors Altgeld, of Illinois, and Stone, of Missouri, in resenting this brazen affrontery.

6th: That we view with alarm the complete subserviency of the daily press of the country to the corporations, as demonstrated by its garbled reports of the incidents of the present strike.

7th: That we pledge our support to our sister organizations in this struggle so far as it is in our power to assist them, and in so far as compatible with law and order.

8th: And that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the McKinney DEMOCRAT, Dallas News and Advance.

M. N. STROUP, Pres.

The success of Mrs. Annie M. Beam, of McKeesport, Pennsylvania, in the treatment of diarrhœa in her children will undoubtedly be of interest to mothers. She says: "I spent several weeks in Johnstown, Pa., after the great flood, on account of my husband being employed there. We had several children with us, two of whom took the diarrhœa very badly. I got some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy from Rev. Mr. Chapman. It cured both of them. I knew of several other cases where it was equally successful. I think it cannot be excelled and cheerfully recommend it." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by R. E. Bristol.

T. J. Melton & Sons have a well assorted stock of fancy groceries.

A local democratic orator, recently, while making a speech, told his hearers that the populists wanted government ownership of railroads which would necessitate the shipping of a bale of cotton at postal rates—two cents per ounce—which would cost the farmers $160 per bale to ship it to the market. Strange to say that this remark produced from his followers. "When ignorance is bliss it is folly to be wise."

Mr. Thomas Batte, editor of the Graphic, Texarkana, Arkansas, has found what he believes to be the best remedy in existence for the flux. His experience is well worth remembering. He says: "Last summer I had a very severe attack of flux. I tried almost every known remedy, none giving relief. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy was recommended to me. I purchased a bottle and received almost immediate relief. I continued to use the medicine and was entirely cured. I take pleasure in recommending this remedy to any person suffering with such a disease, as in my opinion it is the best medicine in existence." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by R. E. Bristol.

Our subscribers should remember to pay THE DEMOCRAT all dues on subscription early in the coming fall. Don't put us off until everybody else is paid. You owe us a small amount and it should be paid as early as possible. We have contracted debts in order to accommodate our subscribers.

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and likewise we are letting loose of Summer goods. Why? Because our Mr. Murphy is in New York and finds that goods are cheaper than they were ever known to be and it is money to us to sell stuff on hand as we are and have been doing. We fully realize how sensible it is to avoid carrying stocks of goods from one season to another And we are so glad that we can tell all our friends and customers and every one that the

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will be filled from top to bottom this fall with a comparatively new stock out and out. We are going to make a specialty of Clothing and our stock will be larger than ever and we will give you the best values you ever saw in any market.

Mr. T. F. EVERETT

will have charge of our Dress Goods department again after Sept. 1, and all the wants of this department will receive special attention. Miss Ida Cummins will spend a good portion of the month of August in the market and our

MILLINERY STOCK

Will be complete. A great many of our Boots and Shoes are now shipped and this part of our store will be full to overflowing. We will have the goods in all lines that we carry and at right prices. We fear no competition, seek no unmerited favors. Plead not for sympathy from any special party, sect or creed. But with our record of seven years before you with reverence to our God and with good will to all men, we ask for your patronage upon straight, legitimate principles only, for we firmly believe it will always be to your interest as well as ours to examine goods and prices at the

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MARRIAGE BELLS.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by county clerk Waddill since our last report.

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W, T. Scott, one of the leading merchants of Pilot Point says: "My wife has been in extreme bad health for over three years, her weight was 115 pounds when she began taking Dr. W. J. Thurmond's Blood Syrup. She took only four bottles and now weighs 147 pounds and her health is entirely restored. She had tried many different remedies as well as several physicians without relief. I recommend it to all. Sold by R. E. Bristol and J. B. Dodson.

Tommy Jones handles the best and freshest groceries on the market and undoubtedly sells at the lowest possible figures.

Public Speaking.

J. T. Branch, candidate for local representative, will speak as follows:

Wylie,	Monday, August	20
Decatur,	Tuesday, "	21
Plano,	Wednesday, "	22
Bethany,	Thursday, "	23
Lebanon,	Friday, "	24
Upper Rowlett,	Sat., "	25

John Doyle, candidate for local representative, will speak as follows:

Bloomdale,	Monday, Aug.	20
Rhea Mill,	Tuesday, "	21
Celina,	Wednesday, "	22
Cottage Hill,	Thurs., "	23
Weston,	Friday, "	24
Anna,	Saturday, "	25

Time will be divided with the opponents of Messrs Branch and Doyle and opportunity given all candidates who may wish to announce. Everybody cordially invited. Speaking at night at each appointment. Friends in each community named above will please publish and make arrangements for the speaking.

A cup of Parks' Tea at night moves the bowels in the morning without pain or discomfort.

J. H. (Cyclone) Davis.

This fearless defender of populist doctrine will speak at Lebanon, Aug. 6; Weston, Aug. 7; McKinney, Aug. 8.

He is an orator whose ability and gentlemanly demeanor commends him to the public. Let everybody come out to hear him. Under date of July 20 he writes to the editor of THE DEMOCRAT that he will be here "without fail."

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Bethany Alliance meets First and Third Saturday nights in each month.
President, S M. Hart,
Secretary, Mrs. E. C Forbes.

Josephine meets Saturday night before 2nd and 4th Sunday in each month.
B. F. IVY, Pres., Josephine, Tex.
C. C. CARLISLE, Josephine, Tex.

Nevada Alliance meets Saturday night before the First and Third Sundays in each month.
J. W. YOUNGER, Pres.
J. L. PUCKETT, Sec.
Nevada, Tex.

Altoga Alliance meets 1st and 3rd Friday nights in each month.
R. P. MONGER, Pres., Altoga, Tex.
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McKinney, Tex.
W. T. HALE, Sec'y,
McKinney, Tex

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J. B. Jett, Pres.
McKinney, Tex
R. A. Bailey, Sec'y.
McKinney, Tex.

Verona Alliance meets 2nd and 4th Thursday nights in each month.
A. C. STROUP, Pres. Verona, Tex.
SALLIE STROUP, Sec'y. " "

Copeville Alliance, No. 855, meets on 1st and 3rd Saturday nights at 7 p. m.
W. S. Cox, Pres., Copeville, Tex.
W. T. Thompson, Sec., " "

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J. L. Mays, Pres.
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Merrit, Texas.

Maxwell Alliance meets Saturday nights before 2nd and 4th Sunday in each month.
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Sec'y. R. L. Boggess.

Willow Springs Alliance meet the 1st and 3rd Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. in each month.
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J P Miller, Pres., Verona,
J A Spaugh, Sec'y, Farmersville,

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J. H. Painter, Sec'y.
McKinney, Tex.

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G. B. Kindell, Sec'y., McKinney, Tex.

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DEBS AT TERRE HAUTE.

He Makes a Speech in Which He Says He is Done With Strikes.

Terre Haute, Ind., July 29.—Packed like sardines were the people who listened to President Debs, of the American Railway union, in the opera house to-night. The theater never held such a crowd, and hundreds were turned away. Many ladies were present. Debs was enthusiastically received. He said:

"This was a crisis brought about, first, by the inhuman cruelty and oppression of Pullman towards his employes; second, by the railways deciding to stand by Pullman in his oppression; third, by an understanding among the railway managers that it was necessary to crush the railway unions."

Debs then said that he had always been in favor of arbitration and opposed to strikes, until the guantlet was thrown down and an effort made to crush organized labor, and there was a time when not to strike meant degradation, and this was that time.

He made quite a lengthy address and was vociferously applauded.

Mr. Debs' opening statement was: "I want to say that I did everything in my power to prevent the strike."

He then reviewed the causes and result of the conferences with the Pullman officials, which finally resulted in the boycott. Mr. Debs declared that he had no voice in ordering the Pullman strike and said that he was unalterably opposed to strikes. By quotations from a Chicago paper of May, 1893, he showed that the general managers of the railroads at that time so organized themselves that sympathetic strikes in every railroad in Chicago would be forced. Mr. Debs entered largely into the political features of the strike and declared himself a populist, by which it is supposed he believes in government ownership of railroads, telegraph lines, etc.

Throughout Mr. Debs was temperate in tone and clear in diction. There was little attempt at flights of oratory, and yet his remarks were so stirring as to frequently cause outbursts of applause from the audience. The labor leader did not admit defeat but on the contrary, declared that the war against Pullman would be carried to the bitter end. He said further that so far as he was concerned this would be the last strike in which he should engage, and that hereafter he would fight out the battles alone, appealing to the ballot for the restoration of the labor ers rights.

Weaver's Opinion.

Had the voters listened to the words of reformers and carefully weighed them, the strikes, riots and anarchy that now prevail would not have occurred. But they lent a willing ear to politicians who were operating on theories that would benefit the few until the very voters who support this system are reduced to desperation. Nine tenths of the rioters in this country are democrats and republicans who do not know that fighting and destroying property will only make matters worse, Men who resort to violence do so only because they have been kept in ignorance of what the ballot is for, and of course they will suffer until they learn. We are not in sympathy with destructive methods.—Farmers' Tribune, Des Moines, Iowa.

From the way some men offer prayers it is difficult to tell whether they are ministers or auctioneers.—Elmira Gazette.

It is predicted that when women get to voting the campaign chewing gum will take its place alongside of the campaign cigar.—Kansas City Journal.

Chumleigh: "Oh, Miss Vavasour, you are the only girl I ever loved."

Miss Vavasour: "How fortunate the other girls with whom you are acquainted ought to consider themselves."—Kings Jester.

Brown: "What makes you think of spending your vacation at Clam Shell Beach?"

Jones: "Well, I hear there's not a room to be had in any of the hotels for love or money and the boarding houses are putting cots in the parlors!"—Puck.

"Well, what are you thinking about now?" inquired Xantippe, sharply.

Socrates looked up. It was evident that he had been kicking himself mentally.

"I was wishing," he said, with reckless disregard of the consequences that I had caught on to that Platonic affection idea before I married you."—Harlem Life.

She kissed him and he murmured:
"I am hypnotized, I fear;"
Then she smiled and whispered softly
"You are liptonized, my dear."
—Detroit Free Press.

Country cousin (on Sunday): "What are all those men going into the side door of that saloon for?"

City cousin whistles "After the Ball."—New York Journal.

Old Gravely: "If you do not care to be my wife, perhaps the prospect of being a rich young widow, might tempt you."

Minnie (eagerly): "Oh, Mr. Gravely! If I were only sure I could trust you!"—Spare Moments.

"Did that young girl that Tompkins befriended at the seashore show any gratitude for what he'd done?"

"Well I should say not! She married him."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

"What do you think of them?" asked the congresman's wife, spreading out before him some new photographs.

"I think they are pretty well gerrymandered," he replied. "They look about ten years younger than you do."—Indianapolis Journal.

Mrs. Quickleigh—"The first man who ever proposed to me said that if I would not marry him he would blow his brains out."

Miss Wonder.—"Good gracious! He must have been crasy Why didn't you have him put under restraint?"

Mrs. Quickleigh—"I did. I married him."—New York Herald.

Simpkins—"That Dunder girl is getting to be a very clever pianist."

Pufferton—"Yes? What is the clever performance this time?"

Simpkins—"She played a storm at the seaside last night with so much effectiveness as to bring out the life saving corps."—Brooklyn Eagle.

SNAP SHOTS.

[Dallas News.]

Love abhors a crowd but does not want to be left entirely alone.

You should do something for others every day if it be nothing more than to tell them a disagreeable truth.

There is many a lip between the cup and the slip.

Love demands a little adventure.

A blind man can see a wink when he is thirsty.

The very worst temptations seem to yield to the fast young man.

If one will go slow he will not get too far along to turn back.

The man who pulls down others who have gotten ahead throws away his own chance of building up.

You never hear a couple of lovers complain of mosquitoes on the front porch.

The bad actor squalls for bad eggs and they come.

When the wise man loses his head he never gives it away.

The man who delivers himself of pompous predictions is generally willing and eager to see them fulfilled.

Do not permit yourself to run all to whines and grunts.

One compliment is not always worth another.

A great many people count the cost but never pay it.

Some mortals have never discovered the line between truth and fiction.

A mother's apron string is not a bad thing for a boy to tie to.

True and Courageous.

If the conspiracy between he government and the corporations to hurry Eugene Debs to the penitentiary is consummated, no political party will get the vote of any honest workingman or any fair minded citizen without incorporating in its platform a demand for the immediate pardon of this man, who has been a true and courageous friend to labor.—Chicago Times.

You cannot give to some men their dues because they do not want them.

When one takes the risks of other people they become his own.

Public Picnic.

On August 15 there will be a picnic at Josephine Royse, Clinton, Nevada and Copeville are invited. Let everybody come. Speaking by Hon. H Perryman and others.

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THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The business portion of Griggsville, Ills., was burned. The loss is about $100,000.

The Piasa Bluffs assembly began a four weeks' session at Piasa Bluffs, Ills., Thursday.

"Lonesome Matt" Kelly, an oldtime counterfeiter, has been "pinched" again at New York.

Proceedings were begun to remove Police Chief Lindsey and Captain Gish of Topeka, Kan., from office.

The wife of Frank Stumpf of Evansville, Ind., eloped with a St. Louis drummer, deserting her year-old baby.

General S. Allsbrook was given five days to leave Colorado after cattlemen had killed 250 of his sheep.

The New York comptroller's office is to be investigated, it being claimed that illegal bonds amounting to $100,000,000 have been issued.

The women of Kansas have become divided between the Republicans and Populists and the cause of equal suffrage is endangered.

Floods and hurricanes have done great damage in Spain.

It has developed that all the European treaty powers have taken a hand in the Corean fight in the interest of peace and the safety of European commerce.

St. Louis eastbound railway lines ignore the special rate made from Texas to Washington.

The city of Frankfort, Ky., has levied on property of the Kentucky Midland railroad for taxes.

Fire in the storageroom of the woolen mills at Waco, Tex., did considerable damage.

The mills of the Bodcaw Lumber company at Stamps, Ark., were partially destroyed by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Tabor at Bryan, Tex., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Thursday.

Mrs. T. Newbury at Bastrop, Tex., is insane.

Rev. Father T. S. Byrne was consecrated bishop of Nashville.

Henry Bennett was hanged at Memphis for wife murder.

Professor J. H. Hooper, principal of Hooper institute, Clarksburg, Me., is dead.

Fire starting from a locomotive spark did $75,000 damage at St. Joseph, Mo.

Congressman Jerry Simpson has been renominated by the Populists of his district.

Asa T. Heverly, chief owner of the St. Charles Evaporated Cream company, has confessed judgment for $21,000.

J. D. Carroll was drowned in the Trinity river near Forney, Tex., while fishing.

Henry Bone was robbed near Sherman, Tex., by highwaymen.

Over 100 carloads of watermelons have been shipped from Henrietta, Tex.

Six arrests have been made in connection with the Tarsney tarring affair at Colorado Springs, Colo.

Wilson Soule was killed by his horse at Rochester, N. Y.

I. R. Holmes has been arrested at Houston, Tex., charged with swindling.

George Conner was killed by a freight train at Channing, Tex.

A child 3 years old was burned to death at Eagle Lake, Tex.

J. S. Jones, a railroad brakeman on the Houston and Texas Central road, was arrested at Whitney, Tex., charged with forging a time check.

The depot agent at Grapevine, Tex. captured a burglar in the building. The thief declines to give his name.

The schooner Robt. H. Mitchell sank off the New Jersey coast, the crew being saved.

People's Party Texas Platform, 1894

1. We heartily indorse the principles enunciated in the people's party platform adopted at Omaha, July 4, 1892.

2. We declare the people's party to be an anti-monopoly party and reiterate our opposition to the monopolization of the natural resources and public utility by individuals or corporations for speculative purposes,

3. We declare the monopolies of land, money and transportation to be the fruitful sources of social and industrial injustice, inequality and wrong, the parent of monopolies from whichall lesser monopolies spring, and to the end that these monopolies and their baneful consequences may be removed we advocate as appropriate measures of relief:

1. The abolition of all private banks of issue of every character, whether state or national.
2. The construction, ownership and operation of railroads by the government to the extent necessary to control and regulate rates.
3. The governmental owner ship and operation of all telephone and telegraph lines.
4. The free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver upon the ration of 16 to 1.
5. The issuance by the government of full legal tender paper money upon some system or plan which, while securing flexibility, shall so regulate the volume of the currency as to limit it to the actual needs of business.
6. We condemn emphatically the issue of gold bonds in time of peace to meet current expenses of the government.
7. We favor the building of the Nicaragua canal under proper treaty stipulation; provided it is built, owned and operated by our government in proper co operation with Nicaragua and Costa Rica.
8. We declare that the doctrine of a tariff for revenue is wrong in principle and we specially condemn the policy of free raw material while manufactured goods are protected,
9. All lands heretofore granted to individuals or corporations in which the grantees have not complied with the conditions of the grants should be forfeited to the state for homestead purposes.
10. No alien ownership of land should be allowed in Texas.
11. Corporations should not be allowed to own more land than they actually use in the prosecution of their business.
12. We favor an effective system of public free schools for six months in the year for all children between the ages of 6 and 18 years and that each race shall have its own trustees and control its own schools.
13. We demand the adoption of a uniform series of text books for the public schools to be furnished by the state at cost.
14. We demand an amendment to our state constitution authorizing the loaning of our public school funds, not otherwise invested, upon lands of the people of this state with proper limitations upon the quantity of land and the amount of money.
15. We demand reformation in the punishment of convicts, that convict labor may be taken out of competition with citizen labor; that convicts be given intellectual and moral instructions and that the earnings of the convict above the expenses of keeping shall go to his family
16. We demand a free vote and an honest count.
17. We demand an efficient lien law that will protect the artisan, mechanic, laborer and material man.
18. we demand that all county officers receive fixed salaries not to exceed in any case $2000 per annum net, and that all fees shall be turned into the general fund.
19. we demand the establishment of a state bureau of labor.
20. we favor the creation of a state board of arbitration to adjust all differences between corporations and employes.
21. we demand that the commissioner's courts shall not be allowed to contract a debt against a county for more than $5000 unless the same be ordered by a majority vote of the county.
22. we demand the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 and that they be made legal in Texas tender for all debts.
23. we demand a sufficiency of good money to supply the wants of trade, and believe that $50 per capita is required.
24. we demand such amendment of the vagrant laws as will prevent the prosecutions as criminals of industrious laboring men while in a condition of enforced idleness.
25. while believing that government ownership offers the only complete and satisfactory solution of the railroad question, we nevertheless favor the continuance of the commission, but demand that the commissioners shall be elected by the people and that the law shall be administered in a spirit of fairness to all parties.
26. we demand that the state provide sufficient accommodations for all its insane without discrimination in color.
27. we favor proportional representation.
28. we declare the people's party to be in favor of local, self government and the enjoyment by the individual of his natural rights to the greatest extent compatible with the good of society.
29. we favor such amendment to our constitution and tax laws as will secure the assessment of lands and improvements separately.
30. we favor a modification of the laws of limitation as to real estate, to the end that the titles to lands may be quieted
31. we demand the enactment of a law declaring eight hours to be a legal day's work, except in domestic and agricultural affairs.

We hope our friends throughout the county will aid us in procuring new subscriptions to THE DEMOCRAT.

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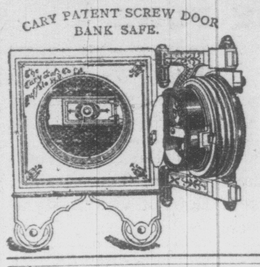

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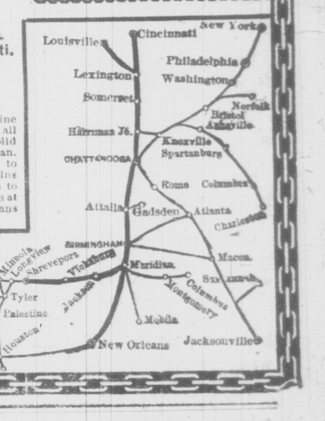

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